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SUBJECT: SMALL ARMS FACTORY FOR PHILLIPINES

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1. MISSION REPLYING BY SEPTELS TO QUESTIONS RAISED REFTEL CONCERNING PROCEDURES FOR HANDLING FMS CREDIT REQUESTS AND OTHER MILITARY ITEMS BEING SOUGHT BY PHILIPPINES.

2. ALTHOUGH GOP REQUEST FOR FMS ASSISTANCE TO RIFLE PROJECT WAS MADE IN JUNE, CONCLUSION OF CONTRACTUAL ARRANGEMENTS BETWEEN COLT AND GOP HAS BEEN DELAYED, OSTENSIBLY BECAUSE OF DIFFERENCES CONCERNING LEGAL REMEDIES TO BE MADE AVAILABLE TO COLT IN EVENT CONTRACT NOT FULLY IMPLEMENTED. COUNTRY TEAM HAS ENDEAVORED BASE ITS ASSESSMENT ON FULLEST POSSIBLE UNDERSTANDING OF COMMITMENT BY PARTIES, AND MUCH EARLIER REPORT, IN THAT LIGHT, WOULD HAVE BEEN PREMATURE.

3. MISSION UNDERSTANDS GOP PLANS SIGN CONTRACT IN MID-
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SEPTEMBER. HIGHEST LEVELS IN MISSION NOW REVIEWING

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COUNTRY TEAM ASSESSMENT, AND MISSION PLANS FORWARD IT
TO WASHINGTON ON COMPLETION THIS REVIEW.
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